



Missouri
Department of
Natural Resources

RECREATIONAL USE ATTAINABILITY ANALYSES
PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public Comment Period
May 21, 2008 – August 31, 2008

**Indian Creek
WBID # 1747**

Class C
Ste. Genevieve County

Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Water Protection Program
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Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)

2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs)

3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use)

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☒ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

8. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

12. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
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13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

14. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
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15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

First Name: Last Name:

Address 1: Address 2:

City: State: Zip Code:

Phone Number: () - ext. E-mail:

Thank you for taking time to complete our stream use survey. We appreciate your interest and involvement in protecting and preserving the quality of Missouri's waters. If you have questions or additional comments, please contact John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, at 1-800-361-4827 or (573) 526-1446, by e-mail at cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov, or by mail at P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0176.



Phone Log
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Date: _____ 8/28/08 _____

Time: _____ 9:00 AM _____

Caller: _____ Scott Naeger _____

Contacted: _____ Bill Whipps _____

Phone number: _____ (314) 374-4089 _____

Water Body Name: _____ Big Bottom Creek _____

WBID: _____ 1746 _____ UAA: _____ 0530 _____

County: _____ Ste. Genevieve _____

Reason for contact:

Mr. Naeger was returning my phone message from yesterday. I had contacted him to clarify whether or not he recreated in any way on Big Bottom Creek above the confluence with Indian Creek. He that he does NOT use Big Bottom Cr. above the confluence with Indian Creek. He said that the pools are at the confluence and below and that the stream is too shallow/dry for fishing or swimming.

Comments:

This is relevant because the Department is proposing in the current round of rulemaking to redesignate Big Bottom from the confluence with Indian Cr to the confluence with Establishment Cr. as Indian Creek. So in the future, instead of being classified as Big Bottom Cr., this stretch will be classified as Indian Cr. This is the stretch where Mr. Naeger's comments refer to, so they will need to be filed with Indian Cr., not Big Bottom.